Baking Powder Absolutely Pure

Insures the most delicious and healthful food

NO ALUM-NO PHOSPHATE

to hear of her recovery.

been ill at the Columbus Hospital,

was able to be returned to her home

week, which is pleasant news to her

The friends of Miss Ruby Lee Mar-

Map Gives Useful Instruction.

It is often difficult to compre-

been experimentally converted into

Will Hold Rally Saturday.

during the past several days

The following program will

tume; Seating of officers by color

bearers or guard; Reception of dis-

tron, Mrs. D. F. McCullough; Re-

New Device for Beginners.

ber and the topside of the cross

upright by means of a hinge and

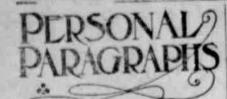
ised.-Popular Mechanics.

by Members.

o'clock, at the K. of P. Hall:

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many friends.



Mr. Leo Flynn spent Monday and Tuesday in Macon on business.

Mr. G. W. Myers, of Caledonia, spent Tuesday in Columbus.

Mr. Clayton Hackleman made business trip to Artesia yesterday. Hon, J. I. Sturdivant spent the past

two days in Walthall on business.

Mrs. Gilbert Dempster is visiting relatives in Jackson, Tenn.

hend from a small map the signifi-Mr. J. W. Joiner's many friends cance of different movements and regret to learn that he has been ill the stragetic value of certain positions in the present European war, the past several days.

because of the vast territory involv-Mr. W. D. Shaver, a progressive ed. Seeking to get around this diffiplanter residing near Crawford, was culty several English lawns have in Columbus Tuesday on business.

Mr. Lucius Lide is at home for a trated in the December Popular Mcvisit after an extended trip on the chanics Magazine. On these huge road selling drug sundries.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Walker, Jr., at enemy, and, in general, get a com-Brooksville Sunday.

Mr. Jessee George's many friends mark the positions each country's for several days.

Mr. Reese Frierson has returned ed down at intervals, shows the locabuying cotton the past several the sod spell out names of the va-

friends are glad to see him on the might be useful in giving Americans streets again after an illness with short-cut knowledge as to progress

Mr. George Buder, who travels out of Kansas City for the Peerless Optical Company, visited relatives gain an adequate comprehension. in Columbus the first of the week.

A meeting of the Stephen D. Lee Chapter, U. D. C., will be held at the home of Mrs. Fenton Robertson, Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock.

her home in Itta Bena after a pleas- and Mississippi, and she has secured and visit to relatives here. She was a class of twenty-seven. On Decemaccompanied by her sister, Mrs. Eu- ber 4th an all-day rally and school gone heard, who will be her guest for of instruction will be held at the

Mr. J. O. Young, of Birmingham, preme commander and acting state arrived in Columbus the first of the commander of Mississippi. Among week and will be with his brother, other prominent women who will be Mr. R. M. Young, who is manager of in attendance will be Mrs. Eva the Davis Five and Ten Cent Store McNett, of Hornell, N. Y., past suin this city. He will act as assistant preme commander. manager and decorator at this popular place of business.



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interested women to our hosiery

department every day.

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Supreme Court

port wear gowns of black silk," says Prancis E. Leupy in "Water About John Jay, the first hief justice, reflered the actuber mosorony of his by adding a collar bound with scarler, but the precedent was not followed. The court has sometim been styled the most dignified judicial cribunal in the world, and doubtless it

The arguments made before it are afined to calm, unemotional reason-The plenders do not raise their debation, and the opinions of the court are resited with a quietness almost conversational. These opinions are very carefully guarded up to the moment they are read from the beach, but now and then, after a decision has become history, there leaks out an entertaining story of how it came to be ren-

"Such an instance was in the case of an imported delicacy which might have been classed either as a preparation of the McKinley Sanitarium Tuesday a sauce, and an importer had appealed. The justices, when they came to comafternoon suffering from an attack of pare notes, confessed themselves soreappendicitis. Her many friends hope ly puzzied, and one of them suggested that since the technical arguments were so well balanced it might be wise to fall back upon common sense. That Mrs. R. P. McConnel, who has evening he carried a sample of the disputed substance home to his wife, who was an expert in culinary matters. on North Fourth avenue the past

" 'There, my dear,' said he, 'is a sauce for you to try. "With one look at the contents of the package, which she evidently recognized, she exclaimed: 'Pshaw!

That's no sauce; that's fish. Didn't you shall regret to learn of her serious illness at her home in North Colum-"The next day the court met again for consultation and on the following Monday handed down a decision over-

ruling the customs officers and sustaining the importer's appeal."

GLYCERIN IS PECULIAR.

a Chemical Standpoint It Has Many Curious Qualities.

One of the great advantages of give erin in its chemical employment is the fact that it will neither freeze nor evaporate under any ordinary tempera-

large scale, open air maps, as illus-No perceptible loss by evaporation has been detected at a temperature less than 200 degrees F., but if heated intensely it decomposes with a smell that plats one can actually stroll up and down the "firing line," observe how few persons find themselves able to en-Mr. Howard K. Robinson visited close one position is to that of the dure. It burns with a pale flame, similar to that from alcohol, if heated to about 300 degrees and then ignited. Its prehensive idea of progress in warnonevaporative qualities make the comring operations. Small national flags pound of much use as a vehicle for holding pigments and colors, as in regret to learn that he has been ill armies occupy, and the towns are in- stamping and typewriter ribbons, cardicated by small posts, also appro- bon papers and the like.

If the pure giveerin be exposed for a long time to a freezing temperature it priately flagged. Colored tape, stak-New Orleans, where he has been tion or rivers, and small stones set in melted, it is almost an impossibility to rious districts. It has been suggested get them again into the congested state. that such large maps as these, install- If a little water be added to the glyc-Captain William Pope's many ed in city parks in this country, erin no crystallization will take place. though under a sufficient degree of cold the water will separate and form crystals, amid which the glycerin will rein the war-especially in these days main in its natural state of fluidity.

when much of the war news is not If suddenly subjected to intense cold pure glycerin will form a gemmy mass read because of its confusing character, and the concentrated attention which cannot be entirely hardened or crystallized. Altogether it is quite a which must be given it in order to

peculiar substance. PESTS OF THE TROPICS.

Insects Whose Bite Is Like the Touch of Redhot Iron.

man's Benefit Association of the Maccabees was organized in this city of the Amazon make the miserable for peatedly dipping the wicks in the meltany one who may venture into the Miss Annie Long has returned to roe, La., state deputy for Louisiana region. Commander H. A. Edwards each layer till the dip was of proper of the Bolivia-Brazil boundary com- size. That was before molds were inmission declares that there is no es- troduced, early in the eighteenth cencaping them and that you are always tury. scratching or slapping your boy, ex-Knights of Pythias hall, the school being conducted by Mrs. Laura B. not asleep.

In camp ants are a continual nui-Hart, of San Antonio, acting past susance. They eat your clothes, gnaw the softer parts of your boots and rayage the food. Many kaids bite savagely. One kind, which the natives call itashi, lives in palosantos or holy posts-trees that they hollow out themselves. Their bite is like the touch of a redhot iron, and if any one madvertently leans against a palosanto rendered Saturday night at 7:30 the little red demons swarm out upon him instantly, and so bite him that postage. Vocal solo, selected, Mrs. M. T. for an hour afterward his life is al-Flood; March by fifteen girls in cos-

most unbearable. Most dreaded of all are the tuean- decorations, and they burn with a deras-black ants with bodies one and steady flame, emitting a delightfully tinguished visitors; Welcome address a half inches long that live in the pungent fragrance, and they are con The State of Mississippi, by Dr. J. W. Lipscomb; Address on forks of trees, but that often invade sunied evenly all around without makbehalf of the Maccabees by State your tent. They bite very hard and ing unsightly gutters or ridges of wax probably inject some sort of poison down the sides as ordinary candles do. dress on behalf of the Order of the into their victims, for the part bitten | From New England comes the tradi-Com. J. N. Stuckey; Welcome ad-Eastern Star by Deputy Grand Ma-swells and pains excruciatingly. The tion that if lovers separated by dissauba or leaf carrying ants, black tance each lights a bayberry candle in ants that make broad, straight roads honor of the other at the same hour of their own and move about in armies the aroma or incense arising from the sponse address by Mrs. Laura B. Hart, acting past supreme com- with scouts and flanking parties; gray burning wick will drift in the direcmander of the Woman's Benefit ants that live in mounds of red earth tion of the absent one; hence the Association of the Maccabees; Vocal six feet high, yellow ants that dwell candles make a strong appeal to young solo, selected, Mrs. Ike Simon; Read- in rotten wood-all make the traveler people of romantic temperament. ing, Miss Mary Flood; Vocal solo, unwelcome, either by damaging his belongings or by inflicting pain on his not bought by yourself, in order to in-Mrs. Joseph Peacher; Reading, Miss

Lucy Lawley; Flower Fund March, person. Mosquitoes, the bite of which is not your own; that must be done for you only painful and irritating, but im- by some other person, not necessarily parts malaria and yellow fever; various the donor, phlebotomous flies that inject the germs | Christmas eve is the time for burnof what is called three day fever; wasps ing, either at dinner or later, and to For strengthening and limbering of all kluds; bees of all sizes; hornets follow out the old idea of the laurels the fingers of pupils beginning the as large as the smaller humming and the bays to the victor a candle study of the piano, a device of very birds; the matoucha and the tabana, a should surely be bestowed on the relasort of mangrove fly with a taste for tive or friend who has recently may be adjusted to suit the require- bloodsucking-each and every one of schieved some success or won a disments of different users. It consists them does its share toward making tinction.—Philadelphia Press. of a lever held between two uprights the life of the explorer in those regions simost unbearable. There are and connected by a spring with a nies that lay their eggs in your flesh crossbar above. Notches cut in the or in your clothes. under surface of the movable mem-

Where there is any sort of grass you cannot guard against the attack of piece provide graduating spaces in the muquim, a microscopic tick whose the rings holding the spring, so that sofourn on your body causes a most the tension may be varied as desired. tantalizing itch that you can alleviate only by sponging your body night and morning with alcohol. And in many ber that, y ou lockheads."—Boston The title to t The lever bar is secured to the rear only by sponging your body night and moves in a groove extending through looks like a speck of dust, drives you the front one. At the forepart of the the front one. At the forepart of the half crazy by its bite. Although those apparatus is a rest which enables the regions are a paradise for the entowrist to be held in the correct posi- mologist, the ordinary traveler will on, while the fingers are being ex- bardly regard them in that light .-Youth's Companion.



berry cambles are sent as tuck bringing gifts to an even the past few hollday acatons. The res son for this is that the people who received them the past year or two-and who did not?-chought that they really did seem to bring them good fortune; hence this increasingly rapid growth of the candic's popularity as a substitute for the conventional Christmas card or as constituting in itself an unpretentions little gift symbolising every

But, while a great many people both send and receive bayberry candles as gifts, there are but fews who know whence they come or why the luck superatition is in separable from them.

The candles, or "dips," as they were first called, are the product of a revived industry started a few years ago in the old Massachusetts towns of Deerfield and Hingham and in the kitchens of the Cape Cod people, all of them using the old pewfer or tin molds that have descended in the families from colonial times. Old southern villages have not as yet realized the opportunity offered its women in this revived in dustry, although the bayberry candles were made by the early settlers in all the coast colonles where the berries grew, never being found inland.

As to the origin of the good luck idea, we seek it in vain among colonial chronicles as applied to the candle itself. Yet from times far earlier the bay tree and the laurel were considered sacred to good fortune, and it is

from this humemorial belief that we

must trace the present day faith in the

life and happiness, so is the same wish

ON CHRISTMAS EVE

A bayberry candle burnt to the socket Brings luck to the house.

When these cards are not to be found

the luck rime may be written on the

back of one's visiting card and wrap-

Xmas edition December 12.

virtues of the bayberry candle.

the sacred tree.

the legend:

Food to the larder

And gold to the pocket.

The annual bazaar of St. Paul's Altar Guild will be held Friday, The State of Mississippi, December 3rd, at 2:30 p. m., in the parish house. A cordial welcome to

Martha Washington's Will.

world-possession, and the world had erty, to-wit:

which held the higher right to own- Addition to the City of Columbus, ing One Hundred and Twenty (120) ership, and which holds its trust for Lowndes County, State of Mississip. acres more or less. the world. The will of Martha Wash- pi, as per plat on file in the office of lieved to be good, but I will convey ington has been returned to Fairfax the Chancery Clerk, of Lownder the safe of the court house. That time I will also sell under similiar Trustee under said Deed of Trust. will has been missing for forty terms and conditions the following years, ever since the Fairfax county described personal property, to-wit: court house was rifled of its contents, and the will, found by a sol. cupolas, Buffalo fan, friction drum, The bay is a species of laurel, and as dier of the north among a heap of cable hangers and pulleys, flange papers about to be burned, was saved couplings, box hangers, counter shaft

poets and victors were crowned with and kept for a brighter day. the laurel or the bay, wishing them long conveyed in the bestowal of a candle made of the waxen perries borne by Bayberry dips are also made as well smaller and less even in shape and Pierpont Morgan. After the death dynamo, nickle anodes, copper anthe region tributary to the headwaters show us how candles were made by reed wax of the bayberries and drying To accompany a bayberry candle one and the state legislature of Virginia steel snap jackets, snap benches, the right to reject any and all bids. should send in the little box in which and the supreme court of the United snap flasks, fire clay, lime rock, fire cept when you are under our mosquito net—and even then if you are the state of the board this states combined in their efforts—

States combined in the state of the s is printed, in red and green lettering, and Mr. Morgan has sent the will back tongs, sprinkling cans, moulder,

to its first home. No one knows what the elder Morgan paid the Minneapolis woman for the document. But not all the ing mill patterns, star water fronts Morgan wealth is sufficient to se- steel drums, tea kettle handles, set cure ownership in such a document, tin shop tools, roll sheet lead, bales That was admitted when the antique of kettle handle wire, wire plyers, cope, stolen from a small Italian files, wood split pulleys, cast iron must not be forgotten that the in- town, was restored by Morgan after pulleys, office furniture, tanks, ash closure of writing necessitates extra its purchase. There are several pans, elbows, joints of stove pipe, points in law besides the nine of pos- brooms, moulder riddles, facings Their color, a soft olive green, blends session.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

beautifully with other Christmas TRUSTEE'S SALE.

County of Lowndes. By virtue of the power vested in me as Trustee in a certain Deed of Trust, made and delivered on the 21 day of December, 1912, by J. W. Cooper, guardian of Irene Cooper, Ethel Cooper, Frank Cooper, and William Cooper, to secure the payment to Mrs. M. E. Godbee, of certain indebtedness therein mentioned, A candle must be presented to you, Clerk of said County and State, in as Receiver under said decree. sure good luck, and you must not light Deed Book, Numbered 96, Page 633, I will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Court House door in the town of Columbus, said State and County, on the 25th day of December, 1915, within legal hours, the following The State of Mississippi,

property, to-wit: East Half (E. 1/2) of Northwest Quarter (N. W. 14) and West Half (W. 1/2) of West Half (W. 1/2) of ed upon the estate of Miss Mary B. FOUND-Where you get Xmas Northeast Quarter (N. E. 14), and Harrison, deceased, by the Chancery bargains. Read the Commercial's Northwest Quarter (N. W. 14) of Court of Lowndes County, Missis-Southeast Quarter (S. E. 14), less sippi, on the 8th day of October, A. one (1) acre in the Northeast corner D. 1915. thereof, all in Section Sixteen (18). This is to give notice to all Drill Sergeant to awkward squad. Township Eighteen (18), Range Sev-persons having claims against 'A rifle shot will go through more

> only such title as vested in me as to so probate and register said claim Trustee under said Deed of Trust.

J. I. STURDIVANT.

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RECEIVER'S SALE. Lowndes County.

By virtue of the power vested in me is a certain decree made by the Chancery Court of Lowndes county, Anything which belongs to the Mississippi, on the 28th day of Octoworld cannot belong to an individual, ber, 1915, said decree being duly re- 11th day of December, 1909, by When the thief stole the "Mona corded in the Minutes in the Chan- Jake Lawrence, to secure the pay-Lisa" from the Louvre-because this cery court of Lowndes county, Missis- ment to J. T. Armstrong of certain patriotic thief believed that Lisa be- sippi, in Book No. 14, Page No. 375, indebtedness therein mentioned, longed to that Italy which had pro- I, J. T. Armstrong, as receiver for record of which said Deed of Trust duced her and Leorardo, and that the Standard Stove Works, will sell is made in the office of the Chancery France, whatever the vicissitudes of at public auction to the highest bid- Clerk of said County and State, in war and poverty, had no real right der for cash, in front of the Court Chattle Deed Book, Numbered 94, to the picture—the picture was re- House door in the city of Columbus, turned; but not because it had been County of Lowndes, and State of to the highest bidder for cash, in purchased by Francis Fina or stolen Mississippi, on Monday, the 6th day front of the Court House door in the by Napoleon or what not, but be- of December, 1915, within legal town of Columbus, said State and cause the Mona Lisa had become a hours, the following described prop- County, on the 24th day of Decem-

All of Block Number Four (4). the wall of the Tribune at the Louvre, and Lots Number One, Two, Three, The N. W. 4 of the N. W. 4 of But the other day a valuable bit Four, Five, Six, Seven, Eight, and Section 25, and the S. E. 14 of the of world possession was taken from Nime (Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and N. W. 4 of Section 25, and the S. individual possession in the United 3), in Block Number Three (3), W. 4 of the N. E. 4 of Section 25.

States, and given back to the county in Stephenson, Stinson and Coa's All in T. 18, Range 18 W. Contain-County, Mississippi; and at the same only such title as vested in me as

Post hangers, shaft couplings, and hangers, counter shaft with cone During a large part of that time pulleys, wood lathes, ripsaw, hand this will was kept in Minneapolis, on saw, stove trucks, friction cone pul-Irving avenue, south, byt the daugh- leys and hangers, carpenter's vise, ter of the northern soldier. In 1903 pattern maker's beach leveling plate, this woman sold the document to J. car places, blacksmith anvil, lumber, December meeting, 1915, received vertised. Fairfax county attempted bing tank, scalding tank, wrenching to re-establish ownership. Morgan tank, lead carboy, carboy sulphuric junior, offered to give the will to acid, copper rods, buffing stand, glue Mt. Vernon. But Fairfax would stand and pots, buffing wheels, wood have none of this. So the D. A. R., snap jackets, wood snap boards, flasks, stove puttey, set cupoi i patterns, set of emery patterns, cleanparing wire, enery wheels, wood screws, belt dressing, graphite, door tiles, packing bags, assorted hammers, gasoline torches, moulder's tool boxes and shovels, stove door knobs, stove door catches, slide knobs, bottom tin doves, washers, door piers and rivets, stove bolts, rods, lace leather, stove scrapers,

plant erected on the real property above described. The title of the above property is record of which said Deed of Trust believed to be good, but I will conmade in the office of the Chancery vey only such title as vested in me

stoves, and stove making tools and

material, the same constituting a

part of the equipment of the stove

J. T. ARMSTRONG. Receiver of Standard Stove Works. Columbus, Miss., Nov. 4, 1915

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Lowndes County.

Letters testamentary having been ranted and issued to the undersign-

enteen (17) west, in Lowndes coun- said estate to Probate and Register same with the Chance-The title to the above property be- ry Clerk of Lowndes county, within lieved to be good, but I will convey one year from this date. A failure

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

The State of Mississippi,

County of Lowndes. By virtue of the power vested in me as Trustee in a certain Deed of Trust made and delivered on the

lowing property, to-wit:

G. C. FRANKS.

Columbus, Miss., Dec. 1, 1915.

State of Mississippi, Lowndes County. This is to give notice that the Board of Supervisors will meet on the 6th day of December, 1915, being the first day of their regular sealed bids or proposals for the building of a steel bridge with concrete floor over Duck Slough on the Caledonia and Steens road in district one, according to plans and specifications on file in the Chancery

Clerk's office. The board reserves By order of the board this the B. A. LINCOLN,

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will forever bar the same. This October 30th, 1915.